HIS COUNSEL WAIVES EXAMINATION

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he took from his pocket, some of which he passed over to his uncle.

There was not a large crowd present when the case was called, but its personnel was not of the species that usually resorts to the Police Court. Among the speciators were Messra. J. B. Tree, Valentine Hechler, wills B. Smith. Stephen Putney, Adolphus Riair, I. Henry, D. C. Richardson, Dabney Wooton, J. Kirk Mathewa, S. B. Brady, Thomas Christian, J. L. Anderson, C. E. Smith, Richard Adam, and Dr. Ross.
Justice Crutchfield ascended the bench it 4:10 and Sergeant Thomas rapped for order.

t the suggestion of Commonwealth's-orney Smith a recess of ten minutes taken that the proper record might be en from the Chancery Court, the only clerk having brought the wrong

Before the clerk returned Judge Marshall arose and said that they had decided to waive an examination in all four cases. At this the witnesses—Messra. Edward and F. W. Hanewinckel, Richard Maury, F. W. Christian, William R. Trigg, and Thomas Atkinson—were called around and recognized for their appearance before the grand jury on Monday, May 4th. Before recognizing the witnesses Justice Crutchfield reminded Mr. Smith that there would be a special grand jury on the 16th of this month, and wished to know if he wanted them at that time. The Commonwealth's Attorney replied in the negative, saying that the grand jury would have its hands full with the Grymes case.

NO MOTION FOR BAIL. NO MOTION FOR BAIL.

Justice Crutahfield waited several min-utes, evidently expecting a motion for bail, but none such being made he left the Four commitments were then made out,

a distinct one for each seperate charge, the papers reading as follows, the amount and date being made to correspond with the warrant in each instance:

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To all or any one of the Police Officers of the city of Richmond, to wit:

To all or any one of the Police Officers of the city of Richmond, and to the Keeper of the Jail of said City—These are to command you, the said police officer, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginis, forthwith to convey and deliver into the custody of the Keeper of said jail, together with this warrant, the body of Lewis Booker, charged before me, John J. Crutchfield, Police Justice of said city, on the oath of Edward Hanewinckel, did within six months last past, at said city, unlawfully, feloniously, wrongfully, and fraudulently use, dispose of, conceal, and embezzle certain moneys, amounting to twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), of the goods, chattels, and moneys of Edward Hanewinckel (no bail allowed), and you, the Keeper of said jail, are hereby required to receive the said Lewis Booker into your jail and custody, that he may be examined for the said offence by the Hustings Court of said city on the first day of the next term thereof, and that you safely keep him in your custody in jail until he shall be discharged by due course of law.

Given under my hand and seal this 9th day of April, 1891.

Joan J. CEUTCHTIELD, ?- J. [Seal.]

A long whispered consultation was held tween Messrs. Christian, Marshall, and ringfellow, and the spectators lingered ter the dismissal of court to see what uld be forthcoming.

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There was at this point a discussion as to some books which had been brought into court by Mr. Christian, they having been procured from the City Bank at the request of Mr. Smith.

Judge Marshall claimed that the books should be placed at the City Bank, where they could be accessible to all the counsel, as he had understood had already been agreed.

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Mr. Smith held that they were in the custody of the Court, who could do as it bleased with them.

In reply to a question from Major Stringfellow Justice Crutchfield said the counsel could examine the books at will in the presence of an officer.

These books are the private accounts and papers of Mr. Booker, and Mr. Stringfellow laid great stress on the fact that counsel for the defence did not admit that they were legally in evidence or in the custody of the court.

Serveant Thomas took charge of the disputed property and locked it up in the court safe in Justice Crutchfield's office.

DRIVEN TO THE JAIL.

About a quarter past 5 o'clock Mr. Booker, Sergeant Thomas, Judge Marshall, and Major Richardson entered a hack and were driven to the jail by the way of Broad and Sixteenth streets.

The rolling of carriage-wheelsoutside the jail, followed by several sharp raps on the rate, announced to the officers within the prison that Mr. Booker had arrived. He was not unexpected, as it had been previously learned that his counsel had waived examination and that no motion for ball was made.

One of the turnkeys, followed by an inquisitive terrier dog, unlocked the massive gates, and Mr. Booker, preceded by Sergeant R. N. Thomas, stepped in. They were followed by three other gentlemen, including Major Richardson, who was completely bowed down by grief.

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VIEWED HIS SURROUNDINGS.

Before he got fully within the jail Mr. Booker paused for a second and glanced around at the surroundings with an evident feeling of revulsion. Scarcely a feature of his face moved, and it was easy to see that he had schooled himself by great effort for the terrible moment. His stoicism was marked, but it seemed rather the stoicism was marked, but it seemed rather the stoicism of a desparing man than that of one perfectly calm and cool.

Sergeant Thomas immediately upon reaching the interior of the inil held out the millimus and Deputy Ralston, who upon the arrival of the prisoner-was standing on the porch near the office, came down to meet the party and received the papers. He told the gentlemen to follow him and the party proceeded up the steps into the women's department, which is situated on the northern side of the jail.

When once Mr. Booker and his friends had started for the cell none of them paused for an instant, but made the plunge with painful determination.

AN AFFECTING SPECTACIA.

It was indeed a touching sight to see. The noises in the cells, which were occupied by nearly a hundred and afty careless, dirty prisoners, had just subsided and a painful stillness pervaded the damp, sickening air of the prison.

As the party ascended the stairway the step of Mr. Booker bocame unsteady, and at every inch that brought him nearer the cell he seemed to feel more heavily the grief and shame of his position. But the saddest sight of all was to see Major Richardson, the venerable uncle of the prisoner, as he painfully followed those who preceded him. His aged form was bowed with sorrow and his tottering, feeble footsteps planny betokenned the mental anguish he was suffering.

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Upon reaching the women's department, which bears the stamp of a prison is simost every detail, but is nevertheless thoroughly clean. Deputy Raiston conducted Mr. Booker and the gentlemen who accumpanied him to the cell. As they walked down the hall a dozen or more unkempt and noisy peers women who had not yet been looked up for the night peared inquisitively through the iron bare which separated the lower card of this parange and remarked insulatily upon the

SEAS CENTRAL

in the afternoon. This, he said, was at the request of the defence, who had not had sufficient time to look into the case. The first warrant had not been served until might, and the other three after Mr. Booker was taken to the station-house. This was agreeable to all parties.

Mr. Smith then asked that Mr. Booker be remanded to the custody of Captain Hulce until the atternoon instead of boing committed. Justice Crutchfield first objected to this as informal, but subsequently agreed to it, as it was stated that the prisoner's health was by no means good.

Captain Hulce, Mr. Booker, Major Richardson, and Judge Marshall reentered the hack in which they had been driven to the court-room and returned to the station-house.

LIKE A VATHER.

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One of the touching incidents in connection with the case has been the tender solicitude exhibited by Major B. W. Richardson, an uncie of the accused. He was in conversation with his nephew Wednesday night at his residence when the arrest was made and accompanied him on foot to the station-house.

Yesterday morning and afternoon he went to the station-house after Mr. Booker with a carriage and accompanied him to the jail. When the party came up the steps with the venerable gray-haired, griefstricken old man in the rear, it was a sad sight and one which even the most hard-hearted would not care to witness a second time.

ANOTHER LIS PENDENS.

In the Hedrico County Court yesterday a lis pendens was placed on the two pieces of property in each of the suits similar to those recorded in the Chancery Court the preceding day.

THE LINE OF DEFENCE.

Just what line of defence will be pursued is not yet known.

Judge Marshall was seen at his home last night by a Disparce reporter and questioned as to what course would be adopted, but he was not inclined to discuss the matter. He said that while he would be glad to accommodate the newspaper man, he felt that it was best for him not to give any such statements yet, as he thought they would possibly be detrimental to the interests of his client.

It has been suggested that it may be claimed that Mr. Booker was unfortunate in some of the investments made for his late wards. These, the theory is, did not turn out as had been hoped for, but resulted in losses. As the guardian of those interested Mr. Booker was probably authorized by law to invest the personal property of the estate in what seemed to him proper and aafe channels.

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It is thought that application for bail will be made to-day either to Judge Witt or Judge Wellford. In fact, it was rumored last night that papers had been prepared on which a writ of habeas corpus would be asked. At midnight Judge Witt told a Direarch reporter that the matter had not been brought to his attention, and Judge Wellford was too unwell to attend to such business.

HUNDREDS AT THE CARNAVAL.

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The crowd at the Carnaval de la Mer was perhaps larger last night than on any other occasion since its opening. By 9 o'clock the building was completely jammed and the assembly included the most select class of Richmond's society.

It was a good-humored, jolly crowd that stepped on everybody's toes and took it equally good-natured when everybody else stepped on their toes. In other words, they came to have fun and they had it.

REPOLENT WITH EKEPSTEAK AND FLOWERS.

The atmosphere in the building was a sublime mixture of perfumes from the flower-booth and delicious odors from the cultivary department, which is situated in

flower-booth and delicious odors from the culinary department, which is situated in rear of the restaurant. The combined fragrance of the blossoms and the tempting beefsteak in the kitchen—everybody could tell it was beef steak—cansed the patronage of both of these departments to be very large. In fact, the restaurant was literally packed, and masmuch as one half of the pretty waitresses would have to accept invitations to eat with their gentlemen friends the other half were kept busy all the time.

Moreover, the atmosphere became so heated that scores sought the lemonade-booth, where this delightful article (though not "spiked" as some had suggested) was served in delightful draughts. This lemonade, by the way, which Mrs. Branch and her charming bevy of fresh, young assistants sell, is certainly fit for the gods; but, after all, when one approaches the counter, he cannot help wondering whether it is the icy liquid or the girls which attract. At any rate the lemonade is splendid and the girls "just delightful."

Mrs. Capers, whose skill and energy is the real secret of the Carnaval's great success, is delighted at the patronage which the public has given it. She said last night that so far everything had surpassed her most sanguine expectations.

WOMAN'S OWN DOMAIN.

woman's own domain.

Somehow the Carnaval, with its magnificent fleet, its splendid restaurant, its handsome appointments, and, above all, its charitable purposes, is pre-eminently an affair to delight ladies. Both the old and young revel in it—the former because it gives excellent opportunity for the display of expert domestic skill and "housewifery" and the latter because they have ample means to display their taste.

To say that it delights all classes of ladies means that they attend by the hundreds, and such attendance by the hundreds, and such attendance by the hundreds, and such attendance by the hundreds recessarily, naturally, and perforce signifies that the men are, of course, to be found two for every woman. It is the place above all others to see pretty girls—blondes, brunettes, middle-types, and, in fact, every other type that is calculated to make a man lose his head and heart in fifteen minutes.

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Last night the Excelsior Minstrels, an amateur company composed of young men, gave a very creditable performance, which elicted much mirth. The "Seene in a Barber-Shop" was especially good, though the manner in which the tonsorial artist manipulated the razor was blood-curdling in the extreme, and the instrument used for shaving, judging from its ponderons size, would have made a fit guillotine for the primeval mastrue, too, exhibited those propensities for torturing humanity, which can only be seen in the real barber-shop, where the buff-colored urchin beats you maliciously with a wisp-broom, and expects a quarter's compensation for his fendish energy. When the burnt-cork artists concluded their reshstie production they were liberally applauded, and availing themselves of the tide of public favor they afterwards came around through the "little side door "and sought their girls in the audience. Be it remarked that if they sought that delightful pastime—osculation—when they bade their fair companions good night at the front gate they certainly left their mark (a black one), for their features were well "smutted."

THE PROGRAMME TO-DAY.

There will be no matines to-day, but Mra. Randolph Norris, the eyes-earrgetic chairman of the Amusement Committee, has arranged a delightful programme for to-night, when the Lady Washington reception will take place. This will be rendered by Miss Mary Thaw's dancing pupils, and they will have a rehearsal at the Carnaval building this morning at it o'clock.

One of the most practical features of the Carnaval is the "checking-room," where overcosts, wraps, &c., are lope. This is under the charge of Mrs. 4, 4. Orntohield, and she has as her accomplished emistant the most worthy and genin Police Justica. Though shown of none of his judicist dignity, the loots "ject a leade bit" humble, for his marked ability shrinks considerably too his marked ability shrinks considerably

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the river and under the shade of the trees.

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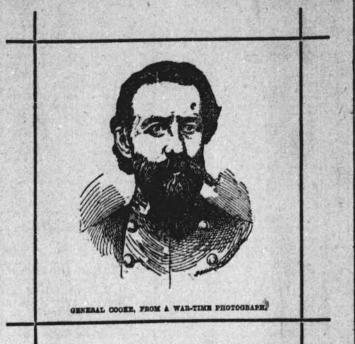
For some months General Cooke had been an ill man. Indeed he had not been well since the unveiling of the Lee monument, and since last fall had kept his room pretty closely save on two or three occasions, when his energetic nature would assert itself in obedience to some public call. It was only on last Saturday, however, that his illness assumed an alarming character and his friende realized the fact that the end was so near at hand.

On Sunday his sister, Mrs. J. E. B. Stuart, of Staunton, and his wife's brother, Mr. Patton, of Culepper, were telegraphed for and they arrived the next day. While the General was then slightly stronger than on the preceding day it was clearly apparent that his end was near at hand and that he could not live more than a few days at longest.

HIS LAST HOURS.

Hour by hour the brave soldier graw weaker, but his mind was perfectly clear and he fully realized that the span of his earthly existence was short. He was en-

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tirely resigned and faced death with firm and resolute courage. Yesterday he talked freely about the change that was soon to occur, and discussed the arrangements for his funeral and who should be named as not really because

bis funeral and who should be named as pall-bearers.

Early in the night he sank into a partial stupor, and after that his conversation was disconnected and his utterance weak. A few minutes before midnight he became entirly unconscious, and surrounded and watched over by those whom he loved best on earth he peacefully breathed his last and from a life of intense suffering here he passed over the river to join the redeemed with Christ.

To a friend who called to see him yesterday morning the General remarked that the fight was over and he would not be here more than a day or two at longest.

When a Disparch reporter left the house at a few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning it had been decided that the funeral should take place from Grace church at 5 o'clock to-morrow atternoon.

The list of pall-bearers had not been convolted and further than given above

no arrangements had been made.

It is the desire of the family that there shall be no flowers. It is understood that the funeral service will be simple.

FROM A FIGHTING PAMILY.

Services at St. Albans Hall.

showed that at several points it had been finished and work all along it was progressing satisfacto-rily. Several times during the ride General Lee remarked to the thoroughly-confused Brigadier, "This seems to be completed," and finally when the end of the portion of the work to which Cooke's men had been assigned had been reached turned with a quiet sinile and said: "I think, General, it will be finished all right. If not, it will be the first time that Cooke and his Morth Carolinians failed to do their duty."

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The deceased aprang from fighting stock and was cast in a heroic mould. His father, General Phillip St. George Cooke, who curvives him, and who was born in Frederick county, Va., in 1809, saw over forty-dive years of active service in the Unice States or The former that army the West Point in 1827, and participated in the Black-Hawk and Mexican wars and soveral Indian expeditions. He commanded in Hanass during the troubles in 1857-75, and participated in the Black-Hawk and Mexican wars and soveral Indian expeditions. He commanded in Hanass during the troubles in 1857-75, and participated in the Black-Hawk and Mexican wars and soveral Indian expeditions. He commanded in Hanass during the troubles in 1857-75, and in 1859 prepared a new system of cavalry text to east his fortunes with the Union, and during the Peninsuls campaign commanded all the Federal cavalry. After the was how was in charge of military departments at several points until placed on the restred list.

General John R. Cooke, the son, was born at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, in 1833, and most of his youth was spent on the frontier as a drift in any the proposition of first House and the month of the county of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of the corner-stone of the Journal and the folder of the first of the large of th

bilder, has been awarded the contrast for carrying the mails between this city and Richmond. He will commence operations the lat of May.

The roadway of Fifteenth street from Hull northward was being gravelied yesterday.

Four white boys were fined \$10 each in the Mayor's Court yesterday for stealing chickens.

Mrs. Ball, mether of Mrs. Augustine Royall and Mr. William Ball, is quite sick.

The County Court of Chesterfield will begin its April term next Monday. Servical criminal cases are on the docket.

Persons living just beyond Swansboro' are getting up a petition to be presented to the County Court asking that the sale of liquor in that neighborhood be not allowed.

Miss Hattie V. Brown, of this city, and Mr. Claude B. Davis, of Richmond, were married yesterday afternoon as the realdence of Rev. Dr. George Cooper.

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Bervices at St. Albans Hall.

At 12 o'clock last night in the city of Washington the funeral services of Knight Kadosh was performed over the body of the late General Albert Pire, who had been for thirty-tires years the Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite Masons of the Southern jurisdiction of the United States.

At the same hour the Scottish Rite Masons of this city assembled in St. Albans Hall and performed the same coramony in memory of their dead Grand Commander. The services were conducted by Hev. Hartley Carmichael and were sulemily and beautifully rendered. The music was very line. The hall was appropriately draped in the mourning colors and in the centre was a castafalgue supporting a bier, on the lid of which was the sword and chapeau of a Knight Endesh. At the head of the bler was a lighted taper. This, and nine tapers held by as many breakness, formed the only lights.

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Dr. Thomas N. Page's discussion thereon was full of rich information upon the subject and was most cordially received. The history of the drams was traced, and the early English writers were critically examined.

A member of Miss Blair's class visote and another member read, to the delight of all present, an admirable paper report the subject.

Mr. W.R. Meredith read most efficiently a selection from "The Broken Heart."
Mr. Maredith paid a handsome tribute to John Ford, the author, and cited Charles Lamb's statement to corroborate his visure as to the excellence of the play that he read.

108E ELECTED BY THE REPUBLICAN LEAGUE TO THE CONVENTION.

a Free Ballot, and Pair Coun Proceedings in Full.

It was ten minutes to 1 o'clock yesterday afternoou when the convention of the Republican Leagues of Virginia was called to order in the Henrico county court-house.

Twelve o'clock M. was the hour fixed for the body to assemble, but the delay was occasioned by the Noufolk and Western train, containing a large number of delegates, being behind time.

The convention was called to order by Mr. Wilbur Southward, president of the State League, who, on taking the chair, said: "Fellow Republicans of Virginis, you are well aware of the first that you have met here to day in pursuance to a call issued by the State Committee of the Republican League. A few years ago communications were addressed to leading Republican clubs be organized to elect delegates to a State convention to select delegates to a State convention to select delegates to a state convention to be held in Chicketing Hall, New York. At that time no such organization existed except the old Republican League.

"The object of organization throughout the United States. We had an organization known as the Metropolitan Club, which elected five delegates to the National Convention, and I had the honor to be one of those delegates. That convention was one of the finest assemblages of representative men ever seen together in this country. The national organization was perfected. I was elected as one of the Vice-presidents, and Hon. John S. Wise was elected a member of the Executive Committee.

THE STATE LEAGUE.

"After the adjournment of the Chickering-Hall meeting the Virginis delegation sent out circulars to Republicans all over the State requesting club-meetings to be held in their respective districts to elect delegates to a State convention to be held in the Capitol at Richmond. This convention was held and a State Republican League was organized. Colonel W. C. Elam was elected president, and J. L. McGlone was elected secretary. These leagues were organized in every State in this country, and in his opinion it was through this compact organization the States of Indiana and New York were carried by Harrison.

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SOUTHWARD'S PREDICTION.

"Next year," the Henrico statesman went on to say, "we will be called upon to perform the same work of two years ago. If we have all the Republicans well organized we will elect a Republicans President. In the last presidential election the Republicans came within 1,600 of giving the election vote of Virginis for Harrison and that was after we had been robbed of that number of votes.

"We have met with defeat after defeat from the fact that all of the election machinery is in the hands of the enemy. The names of a large number of Republican voters have been stricken from the registration books. With the press against us, we are still ready for the fray. Although in every battle the old Republican ship had to go down we have the pleasure of knowing that she went down with her flag flying at the mizzenmast."

Mr. Southward announced that the convention was ready for business.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES.

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mittees:
On Credentials—A. W. Harris, J. E. Hozzier, James B. Mitchell, W. S. Lurty, J. L. Richardson, G. W. Hawkshurst, and W. F. Clark. J. L. Richardson, G. W. Hawkshurst, and W. F. Clark. On Resolutions: George A. Martin, A. J. Smith. A. P. Funkhouser, and John Mitchell, Jr. On Organization—P. C. Corrigan, T. Hamlin, Thomas Lowry, Spring Lee, J. D. Niblett, E. Thompson, and William Troy. On Invitations—H. DeR. Clay, A. H. Martin, and Enos Dickerson, Jr.

TOOK A RECESS.

adjourned it should meet at 7 o'clock, which was agreed.

Mr. Clay announced that ex-Members-of-Congress Bowden, Waddill, Langston, Bayley Browne, and Bowen were in the city, and he moved that they be invited to address the convention to-night after the regular business had been disposed of. Adopted.

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PERSONNEL OF THE CONVENTION.

There were about fifty delegates present, most of whom were colored. The whites were A. P. Funkhouser, editor of the State Republican, of Harrisonburg; George W. Hawkhurst, A. H. Martin, clerk County Court of Norfolk county: Dennis Michaels, S. L. Burroughs, of Portemouth: John McMahon, Norfolk county; W. R. Trower, James M. Williams, B. F. Hozzier, W. J. Montgomery, and Thomas Lowry, Norfolk city, and W. S. Lurty.

Night Session.

The convention was called to order at

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Night Session.

The convention was called to order at 8:30 o'clock by Mr. J. W. Southward. There was a much larger number of delegates present than at the morning session, and the County-Court room was well filled. The Chair announced that the first business in order was the report of the Committee on Credentials.

The chairman of that committee in making his report said that it appeared that Colonel George A. Martin was alternate for seventeen clubs of Norfolk county, that under the constitution and rules of the National Lesgue no club had a right to elect an alternate to represent them who was not a member of that club, consequently the committee had decided that Colonel Martin could only be recognized as alternate for the club of which he was member.

Cotonel Martin rose to make a personal explanation, and said that his election of alternate for the clubs was done without solicitation on his part, and he would raise no opposition to the report of the committee. The report was adopted.

The Committee on Permanent Organization made a report recommending Colonel H. DeB. Clay, of Newport News. for president; James B. Mitchell, of York county. A. P. Funkhouser, of Rockingham, and James D. Niblett, of Susser, for vice-presidents; W. W. Evans, of Petersburg, for secretary; J. W. Bouthward, of Henrico, for treasurer, and H. P. Bland, of Prince Edward, for sergeant-at-arms.

The committee further recommended that the members of the Executive Committee be appointed by the President-elect from the list of delegates present at this convention, it being impracticable to make an intelligent selection without a knowledge of the names of delegates. The report was adopted.

ENFORT OF THE COMMITTE OR RESOLUTIONS.

The Committee on Resolutions presented the following report, which was adopted:
The delegates of Republican Lesgue Clubs of Virginis, in convention assembled for the second time, find great pleasure and pride in again recording and recounting the grand achievements of the Republican party in all of its glorious past history, and point with especial pride to the renewed assurances which it has given, by its

We therefore, appealing to the history of the Republican party as identified with the history of the country, do most specially and heartily commend the action of the last Congress in the passage of the McKinley tariff and reciprocity bill, which is already bringing forth such bountiful fruit in building up industries of gigantic proportions and cheapening the cost of living to all our people.

"The principle of protection is not founded upon the interests of any one section or any one class of individuals, but upon the interests of the entire country. Its supreme object is to render America independent of Europe; to render the United States entirely self-supporting; to keep our money at home, and give employment to our own working people; to substitute home competition for foreign to build up towns and villages; to encourage agriculture and to enhance the value of farms; to adapt our manufactures to our domestic wints; to promote the opening of rapid and cheap communication between the States and Territories; to open mines, and to develop all the vast resources of our country, so richly blessed of God in all that is needed to make a people great, contend, and happy."

FREE HESTION AND FAIR BALLOT.

We regard as one of the issues which will not down the vital one of securing free eiections, a fair ballot, and an honest count. And while we are beaten down by an infamous State election law—made to defraud and despoil—we shall continue to await in confident expectation the onactment of a Federal election law which shall secure to every lawful voter the sacred rights of his voice at the ballot-box. To this issue the Republican party stands unalterably pledged.

We commend the course of our Republican members of Congress in standing by the interests of Virginia in the great measures before Congress, while all the Virginia Democratic members used their voices and votes against the interests of the State they misrepresented.

We commend the conservative and courageous administration of President Harrison in giving

The Flower of Virginia Republicans.

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Colonel DeB. Glay was escorted to the chair by the committee appointed for that purpose, and the retiring President in introducing the President-elect to the convention alluded to him as the "flower of the Republican party in the State of Virginia."

Postmaster Smith, of Manchester, offered at this juncture a series of resolutions endorsing Sheriff Southward, and setting forth that as Republicans, representing every portion of the State, they expressed the hope that he would have the undivided support of the party who would thus sustain a good, Republican and do a cuty towards a man who has always done his whole duty to his country land State, and every position he has been called on to fill.

Colonel Clay thanked the convention for the distinguished honor that had been conferred on him and said that in accepting the position he would endeavor to discharge the duties as prescribed by the constitution and rules of the National League, and he impressed upon the convention the importance of encouraging the young men to join the Republican leagues, as they were the ones who did the work at the polls. He thought every inducement should be held out to them.

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MODE OF ELECTING DELEGATES.

A. W. Harris moved that a committee of nine be appointed to recommend delegates to the National Convention to be held in Cincinnail.

Colonel Martir moved as a substitute that the delegates be elected in open convention, and during his remarks made an allusion to bossism, which brought Harris to his feet, who vigorously repelled the insinuations that the members of the convention were under boas rule.

Robinson, a colored delegate, also assailed Colonel Martin.

Allen J. Harris, of Henrico county, advocated the adoption of Martin's substitute. He said he was opposed to this closet business, as it was a bad precedent to establish to allow a few men to pick out a favored few. He wanted the delegates to Cincinnati to be nominated from the floor.

A VOICE FOR PEACE.

Delegate Green, of Norfolk county, said he did not like to see members of the league fighting, pulling and hanling each other about, because one member offered a substitute to a resolution of another. He wanted them to be loving and brotherly and not to be throwing rocks at each other. All such business ought to be stopped, he said, and he hoped there would be peace and harmony.

The previous question was demanded and the vote was taken on the Martin substitute and it was defeated. The ayes and noes were called for and ordered. The vote resulted 33 ayes and 95 noes. Colonel Martin, seeing that he was beaten, endeavored to withdraw his substitute, but he was ruled out of order.

COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE.

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The original motion was adopted.

The Chair appointed the following committee: A. W. Harris, Dinwiddie: J. J. McMahon, Norfolk county; C. H. Robinson, Warwick; B. P. Vandervall, Richmond; B. F. Dozier, Norfolk city; J. E. Parr, Portsmouth; M. R. Lloyd, Manchester; James H. Brooks, Petersburg; Enos Dickerson, Hearico county.

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The following persons were recommended as delegates to the Cincinnsti Convention: H. de B. Clay, W. W. Evans, ecoficio delegates, by virtue of their position.

Delegates at large: John Mitchell, Jr., A. H. Martin, W. F. Clark, and William Thurwood.

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First District: T. H. Bailey Browns and L. C. Bristow. No alternates.

Second: Thomas Lowry and P. C. Corrigan, Alternates: William F. Owens and Dennis Michaels.

Third: Thomas Smith and T. S. Hamlir. Alternate, H. S. Jonathan.

Fourth: A. J. Smith and F. S. Hamlin. Alternate, Junius Flippin.

Fifth: W. H. Pleasants and James H. Johnson.

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Sixth: John W. Crawford and J. M.
McLaughlin.
Seventh: A. P. Funkhouser and James
W. Cochran. Alternate, J. Wicks.
Eighth: R. T. Lucas and Park Agnew.

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Dr. Upshur told a story of a minister who was called upon to presch the funesh sormon of a man who had died from esting too much turkey-hach. His text (not Jeing sware of the nature of the case) was unhappy being, "In the day that thou estest thereof thou shalt surely die." Another pastor being summoned on a like occasion was better informed, and in closing his remarks said: "He dag his grave with his teeth—yea, he gnawed his way into eternity."

When Dr. Parker was called for he remarked that he was under the impression that he had said enough the day before to last for twelve months.

Drs. Mercer, Lee, Kuyk, Crane, and Gatewood came in order. The latter was referred to as one of the oldest graduates of the college, being one of the first young men whom Dr. McCaw synnined.

Dr. Upshur followed Dr. Stratton, giving a version of the origin of the expression "dead wood," which was promptly denounced by Dr. Oppenhimer as being a garbled version.

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Dr. Baird gave an account of his experience in going to see his first patient. His horse sat down on him in the water. Dr. Urshur remarked that this was not as bad as an ordeal he had passed through in being set down on by a woman.

Dr. Tabb told of a horse that had an uncomfortable habit of squatting when touched in the flank. The animal was paimed off on an Englishman, who was led to believe that it pointed birds. In crossing a stream the rider inadvertently dug the animal in the flank, upon which he squatted in the water to the discomfort of his owner. When called to account the seller explained that the horse pointed fish as well as birds.

The speaker suggested that every doctor make a note of all the humorous incidents that occurred in the course of his practice.

WOULD SAVE TIME.

Remarks were made in turn by Drs. Opponhimer, Deaton, and Heuson.

Dr. Levy told of a man who came to see him in "poor spirits" upon the death of his daughter to get the proper certificats. After explaining that the deceased was a "sewing-machine professor" and named Rachel after old "Mother Rachel at the well," the bereaved parent suggested that he might as well be given a certificate for the "old woman." Being asked if she was dead, he replied in the negative, but added: "You know, doctor, the old woman is mighty feeble and can't live long, and it will save you from being bothered so much." MOULD SAVE TIME.

one morning if his boy had delivered some medicine promptly the afternoon before and had not foldered on the way and forgotten. "John," he demanded sternly, "are you sure you left the package all right?"

"Yes, sir," he replied, "for I saw crape on the door this morning."

Numerous other anecdotes, some in "Latin." which there was not time to translate, were related.

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APPENTMENT OF DOCTORS.

The society has selected Dr. W. F. Drewry, of Petersburg, to deliver the address next year.

Drs. Hobson, Field, and Robinson have been appointed resident physicians at the almahouse for the coming year, and as such will be in charge of the city ambulance.

Dr. W. T. Holland has received an appointment to the Boston Marine Hospital. This is the second time that a graduate of the Virginia Medical College has been assigned to this institution at the request of its board.

A Quiet Marriage.

A quiet but very pretty marriage took place at 5:30 o'clock yesterday atternoon at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. H. A. Atkmson, Sr., No. 2329 east Grace street. The contracting parties were Mr. Alexander Fleet, of Mathews county, and Mrs. Lucy F. Baker. Only relatives of the family were present.

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Rev. George H. Ray was the officiating clergyman. The bride, who looked lovely in a steel-gray travelling suit, is the accomplished daughter of one our oldest and most influential citizens.

The groom, who resided in Louisville, Ky., for fifteen years, is from one of the oldest and best families of this State, and one of the most influential citizens of his community.

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